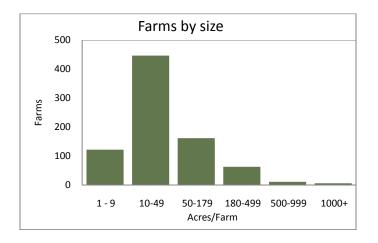
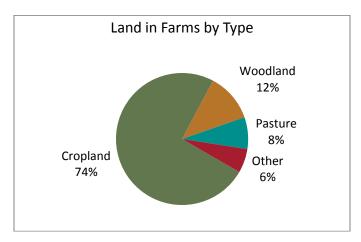


Pennsylvania Senate District 24

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farm Operators	1,241	1,102	+ 13
Number of Farms	811	746	+ 9
Land in Farms	61,025 acres	55,275 acres	+ 10
Average Size of Farm	75 acres	74 acres	+ 1
Irrigated Land	431 acres	451 acres	- 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$57,933,000	\$43,055,000	+ 35
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$71,434	\$57,715	+ 24
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$4,806,000	\$729,000	+ 559
Government Payments	\$600,000	\$626,000	- 4
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,839	\$5,747	- 16







State Legislative Profile

Pennsylvania, Senate District 24

Ranked items among the 50 senate districts in the state, 2007

Item	Quantity	State rank	Universe 1
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse Value of livestock, poultry and their products	57,933	22	46
	40,308	16	46
	17,626	25	45
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed	6,719	22	44
	-	-	17
	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes Fruits, tree nuts, and berries Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops Other crops and hay	2,155	23	44
	1,175	22	43
	28,048	8	45
	(D)	10	41
	(D)	25	41
Poultry and eggs Cattle and calves Milk and other dairy products from cows Hogs and pigs Sheep, goats, and their products Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys Aquaculture Other animals and other animal products	(D)	18	43
	1,100	28	45
	7,531	24	40
	332	24	42
	125	24	43
	938	14	40
	(D)	20	33
	(D)	3	43
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	13,268	26	45
Corn for grain	11,978	23	42
Soybeans for beans	6,506	20	39
Wheat for grain, all	2,067	19	40
Vegetables harvested for sale	1,392	15	44
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers Cattle and calves Hogs and pigs Pheasants Horses and ponies	19,280	18	43
	5,573	26	45
	3,910	20	42
	(D)	17	37
	1,692	25	46

Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	314
\$1,000 to \$2,499	87
\$2,500 to \$4,999	68
\$5,000 to \$9,999	83
\$10,000 to \$19,999	61
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21
\$25,000 to \$39,999	53
\$40,000 to \$49,999	20
\$50,000 to \$99,999	40
\$100,000 to \$249,999	28
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19
\$500,000 or more	17
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	59.193
Average per farm (\$)	72,988
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,146
Average per farm (\$)	5,113

Operator characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation: Farming Other	383 428
Principal operators by sex: Male Female	639 172
Average age of principal operator (years)	58
All operators by race ² : American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander White More than one race	3 2 - 1 1,191 4
All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin ²	4

(D) Cannot be disclosed.
Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.